

Marlpit Cottage Denstone | Staffordshire | ST14 5DH



MARLPIT COTTAGE





GROUND FLOOR

On entering Marlpit Cottage you discover a home with a balance of modern neutral décor and traditional styling with the exposed wooden flooring greeting you in the entrance hall. This continues into the living room with the cosy and naturally lite ambiance with a welcoming wood burner fireplace at its centre as well as offering views over the front gardens via the box window. This leads into the study which is well positioned away from the rest of the house offering peace and quiet and making a perfect home office if required. The kitchen and dining area overlook the rear gardens and are very much designed for modern living with the open plan layout, perfect for socialising and entertaining with tiled flooring throughout and all the modern appliances you would expect for everyday living. Bi-fold doors open to the rear garden and offer a natural flow between inside and out, ideal for those summer days. Off the dining room the lounge offers a more relaxing and tranquil setting perfect for watching television and cozying up in the evenings. A separate utility room sits off the kitchen as well as access to the downstairs bathroom which also continues via the internal hall to a very useful boot room as well as giving further access to rear of the integral garage.



Annexe

The Annexe has an internal door from the dining area and the rear garden via its own entrance and is well presented throughout and can be utilised as an air B&B. It has its own shower room facilities and makes an ideal investment or 5th bedroom for an extended family or elderly relative.











SELLER INSIGHT

Sitting on a generously sized private plot with mature gardens, this detached home, dating back to the early 19th century. and separate annex have been modernised and extended for comfortable living. Located in the peaceful village of Denstone, nestled between Uttoxeter in East Staffordshire and Ashbourne in Derbyshire, this semi-rural setting offers easy access to both the Peak District and urban attractions. Set back from the road, the property features a driveway and a garden with fruit trees, wildflowers, and nature-rich hedging. Side pathways lead to stunning south-facing gardens with paved areas for outdoor entertaining. The current owners share their reasons for choosing this property: 'The house itself has loads of character, and we had always loved the plot of land it sits on. The views over the Weaver Hills gave us our "wow" moment when we first looked around.' In terms of location convenience, they note, 'My husband has always travelled extensively for work, and the proximity to airports and the motorway network is the main reason we settled in the area.' The property was transformed into a spacious family home with an extension in 2012, and an additional annex. with its private access and patio, now accommodates Airbnb guests. Denstone is a quintessential English village with a thriving pub, schools, a large farm shop, and picturesaue walks. 'The Churnet Vallev old railway line is just across the road, and we often walk to the ramblers retreat café in Dimmigsdale.'

'We bought Marlpit Cottage from a lovely couple who now live next door. They have become close friends and are always on hand for gardening advice. On the other side is a couple who are the perfect neighbours.'

'One of the best things about the property is the open plan space and good flow, especially from inside to out. 10 mitres of bi folds leading out to a large patio – one of two – from the kitchen/dining area make sure of this!'

'We love having a south-facing garden surrounded by mature trees, ensuring that full sun and shade can be enjoyed throughout the day.'

'Denstone college is just half a mile away and is thriving (they celebrated amazing A Level results in 2023). There is also a good local primary school in the heart of the village. Buses regularly run to Uttoxeter and Ashbourne.'

We will miss the space and the constant feeling of being connected to the outside. $^{\prime\ast}$

* These comments are the personal views of the current owners and are included as an insight into life at the property. They have not been independently verified, should not be relied on without verification and do not necessarily reflect the views of the agent.











FIRST FLOOR

The first floor is accessed via the staircase in the entrance hall and is well presented throughout with skylights giving the first floor landing a natural lite ambiance. There are 4 bedrooms on the first floor with the master having its own walk-in wardrobe, dressing room and en-suite shower facilities. All the bedrooms are neutrally decorated and light and airy as well as comfortable double rooms, each having their own views towards the peak district and the hills in the backdrop. The family bathroom is modern and well presented and compliments bedrooms 2-4.





















OUTSIDE

The rear gardens are mainly laid to lawn and enclosed to all sides giving privacy as well as being child friendly. There is a substantial patio area adjacent to the rear of the property and to the side. The front offers off road parking for numerous vehicles and is enclosed by mature shrubs with access leading to the front of the double garage.





LOCAL AREA

Marlpit Cottage is situated in the lovely village of Denstone, approximately 5 miles from the popular market town of Uttoxeter and 7 miles from Ashbourne. The nearest railway stations are Uttoxeter offering access to London in approximately in 1.5 hours, Manchester 1 hour and Birmingham 30 mins. There are many private schools for all ages within the area including Denstone College.









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